### Auditing Procedures Report Issued under P.A. 2 of 1968, as amended and P.A. 71 of 1919, as amended.

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| 1.             | ×  |                 | All required com<br>reporting entity   | ponent units/fund<br>notes to the finan   | ts/agencies<br>cial stateme    | of the local unit<br>ents as necessa | are included in the fir   | nancial sta             | atements and/or disclosed in the  |  |  |
| 2.             |  | X               | There are no ac<br>(P.A. 275 of 198  | cumulated deficits<br>80) or the local ur | s in one or r<br>nit has not e | more of this unit                    | 's unreserved fund ba<br>Iget for expenditures.                         | lances/ur               | restricted net assets   |  |  |
| 3.             | X  |                 | The local unit is  | in compliance wit                         | th the Unifor                  | rm Chart of Acc                      | ounts issued by the D   | epartmen                | t of Treasury.  |  |  |
| 4.             | X  |                 | The local unit ha  | as adopted a budo                         | get for all re                 | quired funds.                        |   |                         |   |  |  |
| 5.             | X  |                 | A public hearing   | on the budget wa                          | as held in a                   | ccordance with                       | State statute.  |                         |   |  |  |
| 6.             | X  |                 | The local unit hat other guidance a  | as not violated the<br>as issued by the L | Municipal I<br>ocal Audit      | Finance Act, an<br>and Finance Div   | order issued under th   | e Emerge                | ency Municipal Loan Act, or   |  |  |
| 7.             | ×  |                 | The local unit ha  | s not been deling                         | uent in dist                   | ributing tax reve                    | nues that were collec   | ted for an              | other taxing unit.  |  |  |
| 8.             | X  |                 | The local unit or  | ly holds deposits                         | /investment                    | s that comply w                      | ith statutory requireme   | ents.                   |   |  |  |
| 9.             | X  |                 | The local unit ha<br>Audits of Local U   | s no illegal or una<br>Inits of Governme  | authorized e<br>ent in Michig  | expenditures tha<br>gan, as revised  | t came to our attentio<br>(see Appendix H of B                          | n as defir<br>ulletin). | ned in the Bulletin for   |  |  |
| 10             | ). 🗵   |                 | that have not be   | en previously con                         | nmunicated                     | to the Local Au                      | ent, which came to our<br>dit and Finance Divisi<br>der separate cover. | attention<br>on (LAFD   | during the course of our audit<br>). If there is such activity that has |  |  |
| 11             | . <b>X</b>   |                 | The local unit is  | free of repeated o                        | comments fr                    | om previous ye                       | evious years.   |                         |   |  |  |
| 12             | . <b>X</b>   |                 | The audit opinion  | n is UNQUALIFIE                           | D.                             |                                      |   |                         |   |  |  |
| 13             | . <b>X</b>   |                 | The local unit ha accepted accour  | s complied with G<br>ting principles (G   | SASB 34 or<br>SAAP).           | GASB 34 as mo                        | B 34 as modified by MCGAA Statement #7 and other generally              |                         |   |  |  |
| 14             | 14. 🗵 🔲 The board or council approves all invoices prior to payment as required by charter or statute. |                 |  |   |                                |                                      |   |                         | ).  |  |  |
| 15             | . 🗵  |                 | To our knowledg  | e, bank reconcilia                        | itions that w                  | ere reviewed w                       | ere performed timely.   |                         |   |  |  |
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## TOWNSHIP OF MUNISING, MICHIGAN FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended March 31, 2006

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Supervisor and Members of the Township Board of Trustees Township of Munising, Michigan Munising, Michigan 49895

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Munising, Michigan, as of and for the year ended March 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the Township of Munising, Michigan's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Township of Munising, Michigan's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Munising, Michigan as of March 31, 2006, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated July 12, 2006 on our consideration of the Township of Munising, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provision of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

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## Honorable Supervisor and Members of the Township Board of Trustees

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 5 through 10 and 28 are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Township of Munising, Michigan's basic financial statements. The individual fund financial statements and schedules are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statement. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Anderson, Tackman + Company, PLC Certified Public Accountants

July 12, 2006

#### TOWNSHIP OF MUNISING, MICHIGAN

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (UNAUDITED)

Our discussion and analysis of the Township of Munising, Michigan's financial performance provides an overview of the Township's financial activities for the year ended March 31, 2006. Please read it in conjunction with the financial statements, which begin on page 11.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Net assets for the Township as a whole decreased by \$52,457 or 4 percent as a result of this year's operations.
- During the year, the Township had expenses for governmental activities that were \$525,037 and revenues of \$472,580.
- The General Fund reported a net fund balance of \$252,589. Net change in fund balance was \$32,213 higher than the forecasted decrease of \$199,975.

#### USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities (on pages 11 and 12) provide information about the activities of the Township as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Township's finances. Fund financial statements start on page 13. For governmental activities, these statements tell how these services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for the future spending. Fund financial statements also report the Township's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the Township's most significant funds. The remaining statements provide financial information about activities for which the Township acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of those outside the government.

#### Reporting the Township as a Whole

Our analysis of the Township as a whole begins on page 7. One of the most important questions asked about the Township's finances is "Is the Township as a whole better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information about the Township as a whole and about its activities in a way that helps answer this question. These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid. These two statements report the Township's net assets and changes in them. You can think of the Township's net assets - the difference between assets and liabilities - as one way to measure the Township's financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the Township's net assets are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. You will need to consider other non-financial factors, however, such as changes in the Township's patron base and the condition of the Township's capital assets, to assess the overall financial health of the Township.

In the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities, we divide the Township into two kinds of activities:

- Governmental Activities Most of the Township's basic services are reported here, including the legislative, elections, public safety, public works, recreation and culture, community and economic development and general services and administration. Property taxes, charges for services and state sources fund most of these activities.
- Business-Type Activities The Township charges a fee to customers to help it cover all or most of the cost of certain services it provides. The Township has no Business-Type Activities.

#### Reporting the Township's Most Significant Funds

Our analysis of the Township of Munising, Michigan's major funds begins on page 8. The fund financial statements begin on page 13 and provide detailed information on the most significant funds – not the Township as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law and by bond covenants. However, the Township Board establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using taxes, grants, and other money. The Township of Munising, Michigan's two kinds of funds - governmental and proprietary - use different accounting approaches.

- Governmental funds Most of the Township of Munising, Michigan's basic services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can be readily converted into cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the Township's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Township of Munising, Michigan's programs. We describe the relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Activities) and governmental funds in a reconciliation which follows the fund financial statements.
- Proprietary funds When the Township of Munising, Michigan charges customers for the services it provides whether to outside customers these services are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are reported in the same way that all activities are reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities. In fact, the Township of Munising, Michigan's enterprise funds (a component of proprietary funds) are the same as the business-type activities we report in the government-wide statements but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows, for proprietary funds. The Township of Munising, Michigan does not have any proprietary funds.

#### The Township as Trustee

The Township of Munising, Michigan is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that – because of a trust arrangement – can be used only for the trust beneficiaries. All of the fiduciary activities are reported in separate Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets on page 17. We exclude these activities from the other financial statements because the Township of Munising, Michigan cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

The Township of Munising, Michigan is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes.

#### The Township as a Whole

Table I provides a summary of the Township's net assets as of March 31, 2006 and 2005.

|   | Table 1            |                                |                                |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
|   | Net Asset          | \$                             |                                |
|   |                    | Governmental Activities – 2006 | Governmental Activities – 2005 |
| Current and other assets                                    |                    | \$261,485<br>1,196,315         | \$434,363<br>1,166,101         |
| Non-current assets  | Total Assets       | 1,457,800                      | 1,600,464                      |
| Current liabilities   |                    | 55,669                         | 78,270<br>96,053               |
| Non-current liabilities                                     | Total Liabilities  | 28,447<br>84,116               | 174,323                        |
| Net Assets:<br>Invested in capital assets, ne<br>Restricted | et of related debt | 1,121,095<br>91,262<br>161,327 | 1,101,843<br>-<br>324,298      |
| Unrestricted (deficit)                                      | Total Net Assets   | \$1,373,684                    | \$1,426,141                    |

Net assets of the Township of Munising, Michigan's governmental activities stood at \$1,373,684. Unrestricted net assets—the part of net assets that could be used to finance day-to-day activities without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation, or other legal requirements stood at \$161,327.

The \$161,327 in unrestricted net assets of governmental activities represents the accumulated results of all past years' operations. The operating results of the General Fund will have a significant impact on the change in unrestricted net assets from year to year.

The results of this year's operations for the Township of Munising, Michigan as a whole are reported in the Statement of Activities (see Table 2), which shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2006 and 2005.

Table 2 Changes in Net Assets

| Changes in   | Governmental      | Governmental      |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
|  | Activities – 2006 | Activities – 2005 |
| Revenues:  | 7(01)7(11)3 2000  |                   |
|  |                   |                   |
| Program Revenues:  | \$18,785          | \$22,555          |
| Charges for services                                     | 125,635           | 15,424            |
| Operating Grants   | 125,655           | 10,424            |
| Capital Grants   | -                 |                   |
| General Revenues:  | 121.050           | 209,508           |
| Property taxes   | 131,959           |                   |
| State Sources  | 186,402           | 228,936           |
| Interest   | 6,685             | 5,744             |
| Miscellaneous  | 3,114             | 6,651             |
| Total Revenues   | 472,580           | 488,818           |
| Program Expenses:  |                   |                   |
| Legislative  | 72,687            | 54,228            |
| General Services and Administration                      | 141,087           | 131,099           |
| Public Safety  | 116,175           | 111,976           |
| Public Works   | 122,572           | 29,315            |
| Community & Economic Dev.                                | 7,431             | 10,164            |
| Recreation and Culture                                   | 65,085            | 73,028            |
| Other _  | _                 | 13,363            |
| Total Expenses   | 525,037           | 423,173           |
| Excess (deficiency) before transfers                     | (52,457)          | 65,645            |
| Transfers  | ( , ,             | _                 |
| Increase (decrease) in net assets                        | (52,457)          | 65,645            |
| Net assets, beginning, as restated _                     | 1,426,141         | 1,360,496         |
| Net assets, beginning, as residied<br>Net Assets, Ending | \$1,373,684       | \$1,426,141       |
| HEL VISELS' ELIGHIÀ                                      | Ψ1,070,004        | Ψ,7,12.0,1.11     |

The Township of Munising, Michigan's total revenues were \$472,580. The total cost of all programs and services was \$525,037, leaving a decrease in net assets of \$52,457. Our analysis below separately considers the operations of governmental activities:

#### **Governmental Activities**

The net assets of the Township of Munising, Michigan's governmental activities decreased \$52,457 for the year ended March 31, 2006.

The Net Loss was made up from \$167,762 in from Governmental Funds Net Loss, Depreciation expense of \$92,185, reclassifying capital outlay to capital asset of \$122,399 and reclassify of principal of \$85,091.

#### THE TOWNSHIP'S FUNDS

As the Township of Munising, Michigan completed the year, its governmental funds (as presented in the balance sheet on page 13 reported a combined fund balance of \$252,589 which is a decrease of \$167,762 from the beginning of the year.

The \$167,762 in Government Fund Net Loss was due from expending \$105,909 on dust control and road improvement projects, loss of \$69,283 in Fire Truck Mileage that expired in the prior year, leaving \$7,430 gain from all other activities.

#### **General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

Over the course of the year, the Township of Munising, Michigan Board revised the budget a few times.

Amendments resulted in a net increase of \$0.

With these adjustments, actual charges to expenditures were \$43,994 less than the final amended budget. Conversely, revenues were \$11,781 less than the final budget projection.

There are two major reasons revenue and expenditures were less than budgeted. \$37,000 in grant reimbursements and \$50,000 in expense relating to the Boardwalk Project were not completed during the fiscal year, creating a variance in budget verse actual. Additional, \$41,000 for the fire truck payment and \$12,000 for dust control were not budgeted for during the year.

#### CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

#### **Capital Assets**

At the end of the fiscal year, the Township of Munising, Michigan had \$1,196,315 invested in a variety of capital assets including land, buildings, and other equipment. (See table 3 below)

Table 3 Capital Assets at Year-End (Net of Depreciation) Governmental Governmental Activities – 2006 Activities – 2005 \$75,001 \$75,001 Land 324,699 224,800 Land improvements 526,300 508,775 Buildings and improvements 340,000 287,840 Equipment and furnishings \$1,196,315 \$1,166,101

The Township of Munising, Michigan purchased new cascade system for the Fire Department for \$7,300 paid from fire department savings, sold an old fire truck for new gain of \$1,500 and capitalized the completed portion of the Boardwalk Project that was partially grant reimbursed for \$115,099. Depreciation expense for the year was \$92,185.

#### Debt

At end of the fiscal year, the Township of Munising, Michigan had \$75,220 in bonds outstanding as depicted in Table 4 below.

| To          | able 4            |                               |
|-------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| Outstanding | Debt at Year-End  |                               |
|             | Governmental      | Governmental                  |
|             | Activities – 2006 | Activities – 2005             |
|             | \$75,220          | \$119,478                     |
|             | · -               | 40,833                        |
| Total       | \$ 75,220         | \$160,311                     |
|             | Outstanding       | Activities – 2006<br>\$75,220 |

The Township of Munising, Michigan had no new debt in the current year and made principal payments of \$85,091.

#### **ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS**

In preparing the Township of Munising, Michigan's budget for the year ending March 31, 2007 we looked at the past year's budget and actual amounts, and did our budget for 2007 with some minor adjustments.

#### CONTACTING THE TOWNSHIP'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Township of Munising, Michigan's finances and to show the township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Township of Munising, P.O. Box 42, Wetmore, MI 49895.

#### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

March 31, 2006

|  |             | Primary Go                                    | vernme | nt  |
|--|-------------|---|--------|---|
|  |             | vernmental<br>Activities                      |        | Total   |
| ASSETS   |             |   |        |   |
| Current Assets: Cash and investments Receivables (net)   | \$          | 190,277<br>71,208                             | \$     | 190,277<br>71,208                             |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS   | 3           | 261,485                                       |        | 261,485                                       |
| Non-current assets:  Land and construction in progress  Other capital assets  Accumulated depreciation  Total Capital Asset                        | s           | 75,100<br>1,722,800<br>(601,585)<br>1,196,315 |        | 75,100<br>1,722,800<br>(601,585)<br>1,196,315 |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS   | S           | 1,196,315                                     |        | 1,196,315                                     |
| TOTAL ASSETS   | \$          | 1,457,800                                     |        | 1,457,800                                     |
| LIABILITIES: Current Liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Deferred revenue Current portion of loans payable Other current liabilities |             | 8,896<br>-<br>46,773                          |        | 8,896<br>-<br>46,773                          |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES  | S           | 55,669  |        | 55,669  |
| Non-current Liabilities:<br>Loans payable  |             | 28,447  |        | 28,447  |
| TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES  | S           | 28,447  |        | 28,447  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES  | s           | 84,116  |        | 84,116  |
| NET ASSETS Invested in capital assets net of related debt Restricted for: Projects Unrestricted  |             | 1,121,095<br>91,262<br>161,327                |        | 1,121,095<br>91,262<br>161,327                |
| TOTAL NET ASSETS   | s <u>\$</u> | 1,373,684                                     | \$     | 1,373,684                                     |

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2006

Net (Expense) Revenue

|                                     |   |  |    |             | Prog                                    | Program Revenues        |  |          | andC                                    | and Changes in Net Assets | in Net /                                | ssets     |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|----|-------------|---|-------------------------|--|----------|---|---------------------------|---|-----------|
|                                     |   |  |    |             |   |                         |  | <br>     | P                                       | Primary Government        | vernme                                  | ınt       |
|                                     |   |  | ວັ | Charges for | <u>о</u> ђ                              | Operating<br>Grants and | Capital<br>Grants and  | I        | Governmental                            | ental                     |   |           |
| Function / Programs                 | - | Expenses                               | S  | Services    | Co                                      | Contributions           | Contributions  | ****     | Activities                              | Se                        | F                                       | Total     |
| Primary Government:                 |   |  |    |             |   |                         |  |          |   |                           |   |           |
| Governmental Activities:            | 6 | 703.67                                 | 6  |             | Ð                                       |                         | €  |          | (·)                                     | (282)                     | ¥                                       | (72,687)  |
| Legisianve                          | 9 | 100,27                                 | 9  | 1           | 9                                       | ī                       | P  | 1        | ÷                                       | (50)                      | <b>→</b>                                | (100,21)  |
| General services and administration |   | 141,087                                |    | ,           |   | 11,500                  |  | ,        | (12                                     | 129,587)                  |   | (129,587) |
| Public safety                       |   | 116,175                                |    | 1           |   | 26,040                  |  |          | 6)                                      | (90, 135)                 |   | (90,135)  |
| Public works                        |   | 122,572                                |    | 15,216      |   | 2,995                   |  |          | (10                                     | (104,361)                 |   | (104,361) |
| Community and economic development  |   | 7,431                                  |    | 3,569       |   | 3                       |  |          |   | (3,862)                   |   | (3,862)   |
| Recreation and culture              |   | 65,085                                 |    | •           |   | 85,100                  |  | 1        | 2                                       | 20,015                    |   | 20,015    |
| Other                               |   | ************************************** |    | *           | *************************************** | -                       |  | ,        | *************************************** |                           | *************************************** | 1         |
| Total Governmental Activities       | A | 525,037                                |    | 18,785      |   | 125,635                 | New Action Companies Compa | , [      | (38                                     | (380,617)                 |   | (380,617) |
| TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT            | 9 | 525,037                                | ₩  | 18,785      | \$                                      | 125,635                 | \$   | 1 Ammuni | \$ (38                                  | (380,617)                 | ₩                                       | (380,617) |

| 131,959<br>186,402<br>6,685<br>3,114<br>3,114<br>131,959<br>186,402<br>6,685<br>3,114   | 328,160 328,160                      | (52,457) (52,457)    |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| General Revenues:     Taxes     Unrestricted State sources     Interest and investment earnings     Miscellaneous     Transfers | TOTAL GENERAL REVENUES AND TRANSFERS | CHANGE IN NET ASSETS |

Net assets, beginning of year

**NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR** 

1,373,684

€9

1,373,684

€9

1,426,141

1,426,141

#### **GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

#### BALANCE SHEET

March 31, 2006

|   |                                   | <br>General<br>Fund              | Gov                                    | Total<br>ernmental<br>Funds |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| ASSETS Cash and equivalents Receivables Taxes receivable Due from other funds |                                   | \$<br>190,277<br>65,585<br>5,623 | \$                                     | 190,277<br>65,585<br>5,623  |
|   | TOTAL ASSETS                      | \$<br>261,485                    | \$                                     | 261,485                     |
| LIABILITIES AND FUN   | D BALANCE                         |                                  |  |                             |
| LIABILITIES: Accounts payable Due to other funds                              |                                   | \$<br>-                          | \$                                     | -                           |
| Accrued payroll and related Deferred revenue                                  |                                   | <br>8,896<br>                    | ************************************** | 8,896                       |
| 7   | TOTAL LIABILITIES                 | 8,896                            | <del></del>                            | 8,896                       |
| FUND BALANCE: Restricted for:   |                                   |                                  |  |                             |
| Fire truck purchase   |                                   | 92<br>500                        |  | 92<br>500                   |
| Cemetery<br>Recreation  |                                   | 14,418                           |  | 14,418                      |
| Road improvements   |                                   | 13,902                           |  | 13,902                      |
| Fire department   |                                   | 62,350                           |  | 62,350                      |
| Unreserved, reported in:<br>General fund                                      |                                   | <br>161,327                      |  | 161,327                     |
| ТОТА  | AL FUND BALANCE                   | <br>252,589                      | <del></del>                            | 252,589                     |
| ТОТА  | L LIABILITIES AND<br>FUND BALANCE | \$<br>261,485                    | _\$                                    | 261,485                     |

## RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

March 31, 2006

| Total Fund Balances for Governmental Funds   |                  | \$                                     | 252,589   |
|--|------------------|--|-----------|
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:   |                  |  |           |
| Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds                     |                  |  | 1,196,315 |
| Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. |                  |  |           |
| Current portion of bonds payable<br>Bonds payable  | 46,773<br>28,447 | ************************************** | (75,220)  |
| NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES  |                  | \$                                     | 1,373,684 |

#### **GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

|  | General<br>Fund | Total<br>Governmental<br>Funds |
|--|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| REVENUES:  | \$ 131,959      | \$ 131,959                     |
| Taxes  | \$ 131,959<br>- | ψ 131,000                      |
| Licenses and permits State sources                           | 300,537         | 300,537                        |
| Local sources  | 11,500          | 11,500                         |
| Charges for services   | 18,785          | 18,785                         |
| Interest   | 6,685           | 6,685                          |
| Other  | 3,114           | 3,114                          |
| TOTAL REVENUES   | 472,580         | 472,580                        |
| EXPENDITURES:  |                 |                                |
| Current operations:  | 72,687          | 72,687                         |
| Legislative  | 170,695         | 170,695                        |
| General services and administration Public safety            | 104,848         | 104,848                        |
| Public safety Public works                                   | 122,572         | 122,572                        |
| Community and economic development                           | 7,431           | 7,431                          |
| Recreation and culture                                       | 162,109         | 162,109                        |
| Other  |                 | -                              |
| Capital outlay   | •               | <b></b>                        |
| Debt service   |                 | -                              |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES   | 640,342         | 640,342                        |
| EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES                 |                 | (167,762)                      |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfers in Transfers (out) | -               | -                              |
| TOTAL OTHER FINANCING<br>SOURCES (USES)                      |                 |                                |
| CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE                                       | (167,762)       | (167,762)                      |
| Fund balance, beginning of year                              | 420,351         | 420,351                        |
| FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR                                    | \$ 252,589      | \$ 252,589                     |

## RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

| Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds  |                           | \$<br>(167,762) |
|---|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:  |                           |                 |
| Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period. |                           |                 |
| Capital outlays Depreciation expense  | \$<br>122,399<br>(92,185) | 30,214          |
| Repayment of loan principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets.   |                           | <br>85,091      |
| CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES   |                           | \$<br>(52,457)  |

#### FIDUCIARY FUNDS

#### STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS

March 31, 2006

|   |                   | Agency<br>Funds |   |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|---|
| ASSETS: Cash and investments                    |                   | \$              |   |
|   | TOTAL ASSETS      | \$              | - |
| LIABILITIES:  Due to other funds  Due to others |                   | \$              | - |
|   | TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$              | - |

#### TOWNSHIP OF MUNISING, MICHIGAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

March 31, 2006

#### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

The financial statements of the Township of Munising, Michigan have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is responsible for establishing GAAP for state and local governments through its pronouncements (Statements and Interpretations). Governments are also required to follow the pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued through November 30, 1989 (when applicable) that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The more significant of these accounting policies established in GAAP and used by the Township are described below.

#### (1) REPORTING ENTITY

The Township of Munising, Michigan's financial statements present the Township of Munising, Michigan (the primary government). In evaluating the Township of Munising, Michigan as a reporting entity, management has addressed all potential component units (traditionally separate reporting units) for which the Township of Munising, Michigan may or may not be financially accountable and, as such, be includable within the financial statements.

#### (2) BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Township of Munising, Michigan's basic financial statements include both government-wide (reporting the Township as a whole) and fund financial statements (reporting the Township's major funds). Both the government-wide and fund financial statements categorize primary activities as either governmental or business-type. The Township's legislative, public works, public safety, community and economic development, recreation and culture and general services and administration are classified as governmental activities. The Township of Munising, Michigan does not have any activity that is classified as business-type activities.

In the government-wide Statement of Net Assets, both the governmental activities columns are presented on a consolidated basis by column and are reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. The Township's net assets are reported in three parts – invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net assets; and unrestricted net assets. The Township first utilizes restricted resources to finance qualifying activities.

The government-wide Statement of Activities reports both the gross and net cost of each of the Township of Munising, Michigan's functions and business-type activities. The functions are also supported by general government revenues (property, sales and use taxes, certain intergovernmental revenues, fines, permits and charges, etc.)

The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses (including depreciation) by related program revenues, operating and capital grants. Program revenues must be directly associated with the function or a business-type activity. Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants while the capital grants column reflects capital-specific grants. The net costs (by function or business-type activity) are normally covered by general revenue.

The government-wide focus is more on the sustainability of the Township of Munising, Michigan as an entity and the change in the Township of Munising, Michigan's net assets resulting from the current year's activities. For the most part, the effect of interfund activities has been removed from these statements.

#### (3) BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial transactions of the Township are reported in individual funds in the fund financial statements. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprises its assets, liabilities, reserves, fund equity, revenues and expenditures/expenses. The various funds are reported by generic classification within the financial statements.

The following fund types are used by the Township:

#### **Governmental Funds**

The focus of the governmental funds' measurement (in the fund statements) is upon determination of financial position (sources, uses, and balances of financial resources) rather than upon net income. The following is a description of the governmental funds of the Township:

• **General Fund** – General Fund is the general operating fund and, accordingly, it is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

#### **Fiduciary Funds**

Fiduciary funds are used to report assets held in a trustee or agency capacity for others and therefore are not available to support Township programs. The agency fund is custodial in nature and does not present results of operations or have a measurement focus.

The emphasis in fund financial statements is on the major funds in either the governmental or business-type activities categories. Nonmajor funds by category are summarized into a single column. GASB Statement No. 34 sets forth minimum criteria (percentage of the assets, liabilities, revenues or expenditures/expenses of either fund category or the governmental and enterprise combined) for the determination of major funds.

The Township reports the following major governmental funds:

The **General Fund** is the Township's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The Township's fiduciary funds are presented in the fiduciary fund financial statements by type (agency). Since by definition these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party (other local governments, private parties, etc.) and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the Township, these funds are not incorporated into the government-wide statements.

#### (4) BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Basis of accounting refers to the point at which revenues or expenditures/expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. It relates to the timing of the measurements made regardless of the measurement focus applied.

#### Accrual

Both governmental and business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenues as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

#### **Modified Accrual**

The governmental funds financial statements are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when they are both measurable and available. "Available" means collectible within the current period or within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related liability is incurred. However, debt service expenditures, compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

#### (5) FINANCIAL STATEMENT AMOUNTS

**Budgets and Budgetary Accounting** – The Township follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- a. The Township Supervisor submits to the Township Board of Trustees a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following April 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- b. Numerous opportunities exist for public comment during the budget process including at least two formal public hearings conducted at the Township Hall to obtain taxpayer comment.
- c. Pursuant to statute, prior to March 31 of each year the budget for the ensuing year is legally enacted through adoption of an Annual General Appropriations Act.
- d. The general statute governing Township budgetary activity is the State of Michigan Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act. In addition to the provisions of the said Act and Board policy, general statements concerning the Board's intent regarding the administration of each year's budget are set out in the Annual General Appropriations Act. The Munising Township Board of Trustees, through policy action, specifically directs the Supervisor not to authorize or participate in any expenditure of funds except as authorized by the Annual General Appropriations Act. The Board recognized that, in addition to possible Board sanctions for willful disregard of this policy, State statutes provide for civil liability for violations of the Annual General Appropriations Act.
- e. The Supervisor is authorized by means of Township policy to make certain transfers:
  - 1. The Supervisor receives a request for a budget transfer from the head of the department whose budget is to be affected. Such request must specify the necessity for the transfer, the account name and/or group(s) and amount to be affected within prescribed limitations. Transfers in excess of those limitations must be approved by the Board of Trustees.
  - 2. The following considerations must be reviewed in determination of transfer approvals:
    - a. Are the transfers consistent with the intent of the Board of Trustees in adopting the annual budget?
    - b. Will the transfer maintain the financial integrity of the Township?
    - c. Will the transfer provide a reasonable solution to the departmental operating problem?

Considering the above, the Supervisor will then decide whether or not the transfer should be made.

Supplemental appropriations are submitted to and reviewed by the Supervisor and submitted to the Township Board of Trustees for their review and approval. If approved, they are implemented by the Supervisor through a budget revision.

- f. The Township of Munising, Michigan adopts its Annual Budget on a departmental basis. At each level of detail, governmental operations are summarized into expenditure account groups. Funding sources are also identified and adopted at each level of detail. Budgetary controls exist at the most detailed level adopted by the Board of Trustees, i.e., department for analytical purposes. A detailed line item breakdown is prepared for each program. Accounting, i.e., classification control, resides at the line item detail level.
- g. Budgets for the General Funds were adopted in substance on an accrual basis which is consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Budgeted amounts as reported in the Financial Report are as originally adopted and/or amended by the Township Board of Trustees.

Cash Equivalents and Investments – For the purposes of balance sheet classification and the statement of cash flows, cash and equivalents consist of demand deposits, cash in savings, money market accounts and short-term certificates of deposit with original maturity of three months or less. Investments are carried at fair value.

**Capital Assets** – Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment and infrastructure assets (e.g. streets, bridges, and sidewalks), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Township as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of five years.

All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Donated capital assets are valued at their fair value on the date donated. Depreciation on all exhaustible capital assets is charged as an expense against their operations in government-wide statements and proprietary financial statements. Accumulated depreciation is reported on government-wide and proprietary statement of net assets. Depreciation has been provided over the estimated useful lives using the straight-line method. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

| Land improvements                     | 25 years    |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Building, structures and improvements | 25-40 years |
| Equipment                             | 5 years     |
| Water and Sewage System               | 20-50 years |
| Vehicles                              | 5-10 years  |
| Infrastructure                        | 20-50 years |

**Long-Term Liabilities** – In the government-wide financial statements and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities and business-type activities or proprietary fund type statement of net assets. In the fund financial statements, the face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources.

**Estimates** – The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires the use of estimates and assumptions that affect the reporting of certain assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures. Actual results may differ from estimated amounts.

**Property Taxes** – Property taxes are levied as of December 1 of each year and are due by the last day of the following March. The taxes are collected by the local unit and periodically remitted to the third parties during the collection period.

Compensated Absences – The Township accrues accumulated unpaid vacation and sick leave days and associated employee-related costs when earned (or estimated to be earned) by the employee. The noncurrent portion (the amount estimated to be used in subsequent fiscal years) for governmental funds is maintained separately and represents a reconciling item between the fund and government-wide presentations.

**Deferred Revenues** – Deferred revenues are those where asset recognition criteria have been met, but for which revenue recognition criteria have not been met.

Interfund Activity – Interfund activity is reported as either, loans, services provided reimbursements or transfers. Loans are reported as interfund receivables and payables as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation. Services provided, deemed to be at market or near market rates, are treated as revenues and expenditures/expenses. Reimbursements occur when one fund incurs a cost, charges the appropriate benefiting fund and reduces its related cost as a result of the reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers between governmental or proprietary funds are netted as part of the reconciliation to the government-wide financial statements.

#### NOTE B - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS:

#### Cash Equivalents

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments for both the unrestricted and restricted assets for the primary government from the Statement of Net Assets:

|  | Primary<br>Government | Fiduciary<br>Funds | Total      |
|--|-----------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Unrestricted:  Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 190,277            | \$ -               | \$ 190,277 |
| Investments                              | 190,277               | -                  | 190,277    |
| Restricted:                              |                       |                    |            |
| Cash and cash equivalents                | -                     | =                  | -          |
| Investments                              | -                     | -                  | -          |
|  | -                     | -                  |            |
| TOTALS                                   | \$ 190,277            | \$-                | \$ 190,277 |

#### Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Township's deposits may not be returned to it. State law does not require and the Township does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. The carrying amount of the primary government and fiduciary fund's deposits with financial institutions was \$190,277 and the bank balance was \$400,560. The bank balance is categorized as follows:

| Amount insured by the FDIC     | \$ 200,000 |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Uncollateralized and uninsured | 200,560    |
| TOTAL                          | \$ 400,560 |

#### Investments

As of March 31, 2006, the Township did not have any investments.

#### Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of the Township's investments. The Township does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

#### Credit Risk

Michigan statutes (Act 196, PA 1997) authorize the Township to invest in bonds, other direct obligations and repurchase agreements of the United States, certificates of deposits, savings accounts, deposit accounts or receipts of a bank which is a member of the FDIC and authorized to operate in this state, commercial paper rated at the time of purchase within the two highest classifications established by not less than two standard rating services and matures within 270 days from date of purchase, bankers' acceptances of the United States banks, obligations of the State of Michigan and its political subdivisions, external investment pools, and certain mutual funds. Michigan law prohibits security in the form of collateral, surety bond, or another form for the deposit of public money.

#### NOTE B - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued):

The Township has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. The Township's investments are rated as noted above. Ratings are not required for the Township's investment in equity-type funds. The Township's investments are in accordance with statutory authority.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Township places no limit on the amount the Township may invest in any one issuer.

#### NOTE C - CAPITAL ASSETS:

A summary of the capital assets of the Governmental Activities is as follows:

|          |  | Balance at<br>April 1, 2005 | Additions_ | Disposals                               | Balance at<br>March 31, 2006 |
|----------|--|-----------------------------|------------|---|------------------------------|
| GOVERN   | NMENTAL ACTIVITIES:                            | <b>*</b> 75.001             | #00        | æ                                       | ¢75 100                      |
| Land     | <u> </u>                                       | \$75,001                    | \$99_      | <u> </u>                                | \$75,100                     |
|          | Total Capital Assets,<br>not being depreciated | 75,001                      | 99         | _                                       | 75,100                       |
|          | not being depreciated _                        | 70,001                      |            | *************************************** | 70,100                       |
| Land in  | nprovements                                    | 275,000                     | 115,000    | May                                     | 390,000                      |
|          | gs and improvements                            | 701,000                     | -          | <del>-</del>                            | 701,000                      |
|          | e and equipment                                | 664,500                     | 7,300      | 40,000                                  | 631,800                      |
|          | Total Capital Assets                           |                             |            |   |                              |
|          | being depreciated _                            | 1,640,500                   | 122,399    | 40,000                                  | 1,722,800                    |
|          |  |                             |            |   |                              |
| Less Acc | cumulated Depreciation:                        |                             |            |   | (                            |
|          | nprovements                                    | (50,200)                    | (15,200)   | -                                       | (65,400)                     |
| Building | gs and improvements                            | (174,700)                   | (17,525)   | 444                                     | (192,225)                    |
| Furnitur | e and equipment                                | (324,500)                   | (59,460)_  | 40,000                                  | (343,960)                    |
|          | Total Accumulated                              |                             |            |   |                              |
|          | Depreciation                                   | (549,400)                   | (92,185)   | 40,000                                  | (601,585)                    |
|          | Governmental Activities                        |                             |            |   |                              |
|          | Capital Assets, Net _                          | \$1,166,101                 | \$ 30,214  | <u> </u>                                | \$1,196,315                  |
|          |  |                             |            |   |                              |

A depreciation expense for the governmental activities was charged to the following functions and activities of the primary government:

| General and Administrativ | e       | \$ 14,650 |
|---------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Public Safety             |         | 59,460    |
| Recreation and Culture    |         | 18,075    |
|                           | Total - | \$ 92,185 |

#### NOTE D - LONG-TERM DEBT:

|           | Principal | Interest | Total     |
|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 2006-2007 | \$ 46,773 | \$ 2,991 | \$ 49,764 |
| 2007-2008 | 28,447    | 582      | 29,029    |
| TOTALS    | \$ 75,220 | \$ 3,573 | \$ 78,793 |

The Note originally issued for \$381,392 and dated October 22, 1997 for the construction of a new town hall with payments due on the  $22^{nd}$  of each month and bears a 5.54% interest rate.

#### NOTE D - LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued):

Changes in long-term debt principal during the period ended March 31, 2006 are summarized as follows:

|                               | April 1,<br>2005 | Additions                               |   | Subtractions | March<br>31, 2006 |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---|---|--------------|-------------------|
| Governmental Activities:      |                  |   |   |              |                   |
| Fire Truck Loan               | \$ 40,833        | \$                                      | - | \$ 40,833    | \$ -              |
| Building Loan                 | 119,478          |   | - | 44,258       | 75,220            |
| Total Governmental Activities | 160,311          |   | - | 85,091       | 75,220            |
| TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT      |                  | **/************************************ |   |              |                   |
| LONG-TERM DEBT                | \$160,311        | <u>\$</u>                               | - | \$ 85,091    | \$ 75,220         |

#### NOTE E - PROPERTY TAXES:

The Township's property tax is levied on each December 1st on the taxable valuation of property (as defined by State statutes) located in the Local Governmental Unit as of the preceding December 31st.

Although the Township's 2005 ad valorem tax is levied and collectible on December 1, 2005, it is the Local Township's policy to recognize revenue from the current tax levy in the current year when the proceeds of this levy are budgeted and made "available" for the financing of operations. "Available" means collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period (60) days.

The 2005 taxable valuation of the Township totaled \$55,263,091, on which ad valorem taxes levied consisted of .9077 mills for the Local Governmental Unit operation purposes which is recognized in the General Fund financial statements as revenue.

#### NOTE F - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES:

<u>Risk Management</u> - The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Township has obtained commercial insurance to handle its risk of loss.

#### NOTE G - EXCESS EXPENDITURES OVER APPROPRIATIONS:

Public Act 621 of 1978, Section 18 (1), as amended, provides that a Township shall not incur expenditures in excess of the amount appropriated. In the body of the financial statements, the Townships actual expenditures and budgeted expenditures for the General Fund and Special Revenue Funds have been shown on a functional basis.

The approved budgets to the Township General and Special Revenue Funds were adopted on an activity and/or program level. During the year ended March 31, 2006, the Township incurred functional expenditures which were in excess of the amounts appropriated as follows:

|                 | Final Amended |                    |                 |
|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Fund            | <u>Budget</u> | <u>Expenditure</u> | <u>Variance</u> |
| General:        |               |                    |                 |
| Supervisor      | \$13,500      | \$ 14,079          | \$ 579          |
| Board of Review | 1,100         | 1,193              | 93              |
| Fire Department | 73,961        | 104,848            | 30,887          |
| Streets .       | 93,575        | 105,909            | 12,334          |

## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### GENERAL FUND

#### BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE

|  | Budgeted Amounts             |   |    |   |    | Actual<br>GAAP  | Variance with<br>Final Budget<br>Positive |  |
|--|------------------------------|---|----|---|----|---|---|--|
|  | Origin                       | al  |    | Final   |    | <u>Basis</u>  | (Negative)                                |  |
| REVENUES: Taxes State sources Local sources Charges for services Interest and rents Other revenues   | 33                           | 2,000<br>7,961<br>5,000<br>7,000<br>2,400                   | \$ | 112,000<br>337,961<br>5,000<br>17,000<br>2,400<br>10,000              | \$ | 131,959<br>300,537<br>11,500<br>18,785<br>6,685<br>3,114    | \$  | 19,959<br>(37,424)<br>6,500<br>1,785<br>4,285<br>(6,886)             |
| TOTAL REVENUES   | 47                           | 4,361   |    | 484,361   |    | 472,580   |   | (11,781)   |
| EXPENDITURES: Legislative General services and administration Public safety Public works Community and economic development Recreation and culture Other  TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 17<br>7<br>9<br>1<br>21<br>2 | 4,300<br>4,500<br>3,961<br>9,272<br>2,000<br>4,700<br>5,600 |    | 74,300<br>188,100<br>73,961<br>111,975<br>12,000<br>198,600<br>25,400 |    | 72,687<br>170,695<br>104,848<br>122,572<br>7,431<br>162,109 |   | 1,613<br>17,405<br>(30,887)<br>(10,597)<br>4,569<br>36,491<br>25,400 |
| EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES   |                              | 9,972)  |    | (199,975)   |    | (167,762)   |   | 32,213   |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):<br>Transfers in (out)  |                              | -   |    | -   |    | **  |   | -  |
| TOTAL OTHER FINANCING<br>SOURCES (USES)  |                              |   |    | _   |    | **  |   | <del></del>  |
| CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE   | (19                          | 9,972)  |    | (199,975)   |    | (167,762)   |   | 32,213   |
| Fund balance, beginning of year  | 42                           | 20,351  |    | 420,351   |    | 420,351   |   |  |
| FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR  | \$ 22                        | 20,379  | \$ | 220,376   | \$ | 252,589   | \$  | 32,213   |

Other Supplemental Information

#### MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS GENERAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

|  |                            | E                                       | Final<br>Budget |    | Actual<br>GAAP<br>Basis |   | ance with<br>al Budget<br>Positive<br>egative) |
|--|----------------------------|---|-----------------|----|-------------------------|---|--|
| REVENUES:                              | REVENUES:                  |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| Taxes:                                 |                            |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| Current levy                           |                            | \$                                      | 70,000          | \$ | 45,343                  | \$                                      | (24,657)                                       |
| Delinquent taxes                       |                            |   | -               |    | 5,623                   |   | 5,623  |
| Commercial forest re                   | eserve                     |   | -               |    | 3,516                   |   | 3,516  |
| Swamp tax                              |                            |   | 36,000          |    | 36,938                  |   | 938  |
| National forest reser                  | rve                        |   | -               |    | 13,779                  |   | 13,779   |
| Payment in-lieu of ta                  | ax                         |   | -               |    | 5,702                   |   | 5,702  |
| Tax collection fees                    |                            |   | 6,000           |    | 21,058                  |   | 15,058   |
|  | Total Taxes                |   | 112,000         |    | 131,959                 |   | 19,959   |
| Chata Cauraga                          |                            |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| State Sources:<br>State revenue sharir | 22                         |   | 180,000         |    | 186,402                 |   | 6,402  |
| Annual maintenance                     |                            |   | 100,000         |    | 2,995                   |   | 2,995  |
| Grants                                 | <del>,</del>               |   | 157,961         |    | 111,140                 |   | (46,821)                                       |
| Grants                                 | Total State Sources        |   | 337,961         |    | 300,537                 | *************************************** | (37,424)                                       |
|  | Total State Sources        |   | 331,301         |    | 000,001                 |   | (07,723)                                       |
| Local Sources:                         |                            |   |                 |    | 44.500                  |   | 0.500  |
| 2% gaming monies                       |                            |   | 5,000           |    | 11,500                  |   | 6,500  |
|  | Total Local Sources        | *************************************** | 5,000           |    | 11,500                  |   | 6,500  |
| Charges for Services:                  |                            |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| Zoning                                 |                            |   | 3,000           |    | 3,569                   |   | 569  |
| Landfill                               |                            |   | 14,000          |    | 15,216                  |   | 1,216  |
|  | Total Charges for Services | ,                                       | 17,000          |    | 18,785                  |   | 1,785  |
| Interest and Rents:                    |                            |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| Interest                               |                            |   | 1,400           |    | 3,415                   |   | 2,015  |
| Rents                                  |                            |   | 1,000           |    | 3,270                   |   | 2,270  |
| 7.000                                  | Total Interest and Rents   |   | 2,400           |    | 6,685                   |   | 4,285  |
| Other Revenues:                        |                            |   |                 |    |                         |   |  |
| Miscellaneous other                    |                            |   | 10,000          |    | 3,114                   |   | (6,886)  |
| Miscendificas other                    | Total Other Revenues       |   | 10,000          |    | 3.114                   |   | (6,886)  |
|  | TOTAL REVENUES             |   | 484,361         |    | 472,580                 |   | (11,781)                                       |

#### MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS GENERAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

|   |   | Final<br>Judget | (  | Actual<br>GAAP<br>Basis | Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative) |                             |  |
|---|---|-----------------|----|-------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--|
| EXPENDITURES: LEGISLATIVE:                          |   |                 |    |                         |  |                             |  |
| Board of Commissioners: Personnel services Supplies | \$                                      | 74,300          | \$ | 7,817<br>796<br>64,074  | \$   | 66,483<br>(796)<br>(64,074) |  |
| Other services and charges  TOTAL LEGISLATIVE       |   | 74,300          |    | 72,687                  | ***************************************        | 1,613                       |  |
| GENERAL SERVICES AND ADMINISTRATION: Supervisor:    |   |                 |    |                         |  |                             |  |
| Personnel services                                  |   | 13,500          |    | 10,525<br>79            |  | 2,975<br>(79)               |  |
| Supplies  |   | _               |    | 3,475                   |  | (3,475)                     |  |
| Other services and charges  Total Supervisor        | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | 13,500          |    | 14,079                  |  | (579)                       |  |
| Clerk:  |   |                 |    |                         |  |                             |  |
| Personnel services                                  |   | 27,500          |    | 23,366                  |  | 4,134                       |  |
| Supplies  |   | -               |    | 797                     |  | (797)                       |  |
| Other services and charges  Total Clerk             |   | 27,500          |    | 1,516<br>25,679         |  | (1,516)<br>1,821            |  |
| Audit and Legal                                     |   |                 |    |                         |  |                             |  |
| Personnel services<br>Supplies                      |   | -               |    | -                       |  | -                           |  |
| Other services and charges                          |   | 26,000          |    | 21,624                  |  | 4,376                       |  |
| Total Audit and Legal                               |   | 26,000          |    | 21,624                  |  | 4,376                       |  |
| Board of Review:                                    |   |                 |    | 200                     |  | 470                         |  |
| Personnel services                                  |   | 1,100           |    | 628<br>19               |  | 472<br>(19)                 |  |
| Supplies  |   | <del>-</del>    |    | 546                     |  | (546)                       |  |
| Other services and charges Total Board of Review    |   | 1,100           |    | 1,193                   |  | (93)                        |  |
| Treasurer:  |   |                 |    |                         |  |                             |  |
| Personnel services                                  |   | 21,000          |    | 14,728                  |  | 6,272                       |  |
| Supplies  |   | -               |    | 1,728<br>4,474          |  | (1,728)                     |  |
| Other services and charges  Total Treasurer         |   | 21,000          |    | 20,930                  | ***************************************        | (4,474)<br>70               |  |
| i otal i leasulei                                   |   | 2.,000          |    |                         |  |                             |  |

#### MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS GENERAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

|                                 |                            |       | Final<br>3udget | i  | Actual<br>GAAP<br>Basis | Fina<br>P                               | ance with<br>al Budget<br>ositive<br>egative) |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------|----|-------------------------|---|---|
| Assessor:<br>Personnel services |                            | \$    | 25,000          | \$ | 22,667                  | \$                                      | 2,333   |
| Supplies                        |                            |       | +               |    | 34<br>2,234             |   | (34)<br>(2,234)                               |
| Other services and              | charges<br>Total Assessor: |       | 25,000          |    | 24,935                  |   | (2,25 <del>4)</del><br>65                     |
|                                 | TOTAL ASSESSOL             | ***** | 23,000          |    | 27,000                  |   |   |
| Elections:                      |                            |       |                 |    |                         |   |   |
| Personnel services              |                            |       | 3,000           |    | 1,165                   |   | 1,835   |
| Supplies                        |                            |       | -               |    | 670                     |   | (670)   |
| Other services and              | charges<br>Total Elections |       | 3,000           |    | 49<br>1,884             |   | (49)<br>1,116                                 |
|                                 | i otal Elections           |       | 3,000           |    | 1,004                   |   | 1,110   |
| Township Hall and Gr            | ounds:                     |       |                 |    |                         |   |   |
| Personnel services              |                            |       | 70,000          |    | 1,629                   |   | 68,371  |
| Supplies                        |                            |       | -               |    | 263                     |   | (263)   |
| Other services and              | charges                    |       | <b>~</b>        |    | 7,865<br>49,764         |   | (7,865)<br>(49,764)                           |
| Debt service                    | ownship Hall and Grounds   |       | 70,000          |    | 59,521                  |   | 10,479  |
| TOTAL T                         | OWNSHIP Hall and Glodings  |       | 10,000          |    | 00,021                  | *************************************** |   |
| Cemetery:                       |                            |       |                 |    |                         |   |   |
| Personnel services              |                            |       | 1,000           |    | 531                     |   | 469   |
| Supplies                        |                            |       | <u></u>         |    | 240                     |   | (240)   |
| Other services and              |                            |       | 1,000           |    | 319<br>850              | <u> </u>                                | (319)<br>150                                  |
|                                 | Total Cemetery             |       | 1,000           |    |                         |   | 100   |
| TOTA                            | AL GENERAL SERVICES        |       |                 |    |                         |   |   |
|                                 | AND ADMINISTRATION         |       | 188,100         |    | 170,695                 |   | 17,405  |
| PUBLIC SAFETY:                  |                            |       |                 |    |                         |   |   |
| Fire Department:                | _                          |       | 73,961          |    | 21,269                  |   | 52,692  |
| Personnel service<br>Supplies   | \$                         |       | 13,301          |    | 1,514                   |   | (1,514)                                       |
| Other services and              | d charges                  |       | -               |    | 40,963                  |   | (40,963)                                      |
| Debt service                    |                            |       |                 |    | 41,102                  |   | (41,102)                                      |
|                                 | Total Fire Department      |       | 73,961          |    | 104,848                 |   | (30,887)                                      |
|                                 | TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY        |       | 73,961          |    | 104,848                 |   | (30,887)                                      |

#### MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS GENERAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

|   | Actual<br>Final GAAP<br>Budget Basis |            | Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative) |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| PUBLIC WORKS:   |                                      |            |  |  |
| Streets: Other services and charges                                 | \$ 93,575                            | \$ 105,909 | \$ (12,334)                                    |  |
| Total Streets   | 93,575                               | 105,909    | (12,334)                                       |  |
| Streetlights:   |                                      | 12,919     |  |  |
| Other services and charges  | 14,000                               | 1,081      |  |  |
| Total Refuse Collection   | 14,000                               | 12,919     | 1,081  |  |
| Sanitation:   | 4.400                                | 3,744      | 656  |  |
| Other services and charges  Total Refuse Collection                 | 4,400                                | 3,744      | 656  |  |
| Total Refuse Collection   | 7,700                                | <u> </u>   |  |  |
| TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS  | 111,975                              | 122,572    | (10,597)                                       |  |
| COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Planning and Zoning Commission: |                                      |            |  |  |
| Personnel services  | 12,000                               | 5,926      | 6,074  |  |
| Supplies  | -                                    | 20         | (20)   |  |
| Other services and charges  | -                                    | 1,485      | (1,485)  |  |
| Total Planning and Zoning Commission                                | 12,000                               | 7,431      | 4,569  |  |
| TOTAL COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT                            | 12,000                               | 7,431      | 4,569  |  |
|   |                                      |            |  |  |
| RECREATION AND CULTURE:  Parks and Recreation:                      |                                      |            |  |  |
| Personnel services  | 198,600                              | 3,582      | 195,018  |  |
| Supplies  | -                                    | 59         | (59)   |  |
| Other services and charges  | -                                    | 158,468    | (158,468)                                      |  |
| Total Parks and Recreation  | 198,600                              | 162,109    | 36,491   |  |
| TOTAL RECREATION AND CULTURE  | 198,600                              | 162,109    | 36,491   |  |
| OTHER:  |                                      |            |  |  |
| Fringe Benefits:  | 45.000                               |            | 15 000   |  |
| Social security   | 15,000                               | -          | 15,000   |  |
| Retirement Total Fringe Benefits                                    | 15,000                               |            | 15,000   |  |
| <b>~</b>  |                                      |            |  |  |

#### MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS GENERAL FUND

### SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - ${\tt BUDGET}$ AND ACTUAL

|  | Final<br>Budget | Actual<br>GAAP<br>Basis | Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative) |
|--|-----------------|-------------------------|--|
| Insurance and bonds                          | <b>-</b> :      | \$ -                    | <b>\$</b> -                                    |
| Miscellaneous                                | 10,400          | _                       | 10,400   |
| TOTAL OTHER                                  | 25,400          | -                       | 25,400   |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES                           | 684,336         | 640,342                 | 43,994   |
| EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES | (199,975)       | (167,762)               | 32,213   |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):              |                 |                         |  |
| Loan proceeds                                | -               | -                       | ₩  |
| Transfers in                                 | <del></del>     | -                       |  |
| Transfers (out)                              |                 |                         | -  |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)         | _               |                         |  |
| TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)         |                 | _                       |  |
| CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE                       | (199,975)       | (167,762)               | 32,213   |
| Fund balance, beginning of year              | 420,351         | 420,351                 | -  |
| FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR                    | \$ 220,376      | \$ 252,589              | \$ 32,213                                      |

#### FIDUCIARY FUNDS

#### COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

March 31, 2006

|  | Tax<br>Collection<br>Fund |   | Total |              |  |
|--|---------------------------|---|-------|--------------|--|
| ASSETS Cash and equivalents Due from other funds | \$                        | _ | \$    |              |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS                                     | \$                        | _ | \$    | <del>-</del> |  |
| LIABILITIES  Due to other funds  Due to others   | \$                        |   | \$    | -            |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                                | \$                        |   | \$    | -            |  |

**Compliance Supplements** 

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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Supervisor and Township Board of Trustees Township of Munising, Michigan Wetmore, Michigan 49895

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Munising, Michigan as of and for the year ended March 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the Township of Munising, Michigan's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated July 12, 2006. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Township of Munising, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted certain matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be reportable conditions. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect the Township of Munising, Michigan's ability to initiate, record, process and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. Instances of reportable conditions are described in a separate letter to management dated July 12, 2006.

A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we believe that none of the reportable conditions described above is a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Township of Munising, Michigan's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Governmental Auditing Standards*. Instances of non-compliance are described in a separate letter to management dated July 12, 2006.

To the Supervisor and Township Board of Trustees Township of Munising, Michigan Wetmore, Michigan 49895

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, and Township Board of Trustees, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Anderson, Tackman & Company, PLC Certified Public Accountants

July 12, 2006

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#### Township of Munising, Michigan

Report to Management Letter For the Year Ended March 31, 2006

To the Honorable Supervisor And Township Board Township of Munising, Michigan PO Box 42 Wetmore, MI 49895

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of the Township of Munising, Michigan for the year ended March 31, 2006; we considered its internal control in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control. However, we noted certain matters involving the internal control and its operation that we consider to be reportable conditions under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of internal control that, in our judgment, could affect the Township of Ishpeming, Michigan's ability to initiate, record, process, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements.

#### Instances of Non-Compliance

#### Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act (P.A. 621)

The State of Michigan has enacted Public Act 621, the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act, to provide for a system of uniform procedures for the preparation and execution of budgets in local units of government. The purpose of P.A. 621 is to require that all local units of government adopt balanced budgets, to establish responsibilities and define the procedure for the preparation, adoption and maintenance of the budget, and to require certain information for the budget process, including data for capital construction projects. The major provisions of P.A. 621 are as follows:

- 1. Local Units of government must adopt a budget.
- The budget, including accrued deficits and available un-appropriated surpluses, must be balanced.
- 3. The budget must be amended when necessary.
- 4. Debt shall not be entered into unless the debt is permitted by law.
- 5. Expenditures shall not be incurred in excess of the amount appropriated.
- Expenditures shall not be made unless authorized in the budget.
- Violations of the act, disclosed in an audit of the financial records, in the absence of reasonable procedures, shall be filed with the State Treasurer and reported to the Attorney General.

To the Honorable Supervisor and Members of The Township Board Township of Munising, Michigan

The Township was found to be in violation of the legal and contractual provisions of the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act (Public Act 621) in certain individual funds as enumerated upon in the Footnotes of the financial statements.

#### **Reportable Conditions**

#### 941 Issue

When reviewing the 941's, we noted that one quarter was completed with incorrect amounts. This could lead to problems with the IRS in determining payment for actual tax payments in the future. We recommend that the 941's be reviewed for accuracy before being filed.

General Ledger

When reviewing the client general ledger we noted that the trial balance was out of balance due to missing information from missing checks issued after the board meeting, as well as activity from a few bank accounts was missing. This would provide incorrect financial statements. We recommend that all activity be entered into the general ledger on a monthly basis.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Township of Munising, Michigan's board, management, and other legislative or regulatory body and is not intended to be and should not be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We appreciate and would like to thank the Township of Munising, Michigan's staff for the cooperation and courtesy extended to us during our audit. We would be pleased to discuss any comments or answer any questions regarding our audit with you at your convenience.

Anderson, Tackman & Company, PLC Certified Public Accountants

July 12, 2006

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July 12, 2006

To the Honorable Supervisor and Township Board Of Munising Township, Michigan PO Box 42 Wetmore, MI 49895

We have audited the financial statements of the Township of Munising; Michigan for the year ended March 31, 2006, and has issued our report thereon dated July 12, 2006. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

#### Our Responsibility under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

As stated in our engagement letter, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to plan and perform our audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement and are fairly presented in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Because an audit is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute assurance and because we did not perform a detailed examination of all transactions, there is a risk that material misstatements may exist and not be detected by us.

As part of our audit, we considered the internal control of the Township of Munising, Michigan. Such considerations were solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatements, we performed test of the Township of Munising, Michigan's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. However, the objective of our tests was not to provide an opinion on compliance with such provisions.

#### Significant Accounting Policies

Management is responsible for selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, we will advise management about the appropriateness of the accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by the Township of Munising, Michigan are described in Footnotes to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the fiscal year. We noted no transactions entered into by the Township of Munising, Michigan during the year that were both significant and unusual, and of which, under professional standards, we are required to inform you, or transactions for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

#### **Accounting Estimates**

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected.

FAX: (906) 225-1714

To the Honorable Supervisor and Township Board Of Munising Township, Michigan

**Audit Adjustments** 

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define an audit adjustment as a proposed correction of the financial statements that, in our judgment, may not have been detected except through our auditing procedures. An audit adjustment may or may not indicate matters that could have a significant effect on the Township of Munising; Michigan's financial reporting process (that is, cause future financial statements to be materially misstated). In our judgment, none of the adjustments we proposed, whether recorded or unrecorded by the Township of Munising, Michigan, either individually or in the aggregate, indicate matters that could have a significant effect on the Township of Munising, Michigan's financial reporting process.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, concerning a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditors' report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Consultation with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principal to the governmental unit's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditors' opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Issues Discussed Prior to Retention of Independent Auditors

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the Township of Munising, Michigan's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

**Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit** 

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in the performance of our audit.

Conclusion

This information is intended solely for the use of the Township of Munising, Michigan Board and management and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Anderson, Tackman & Company, PLC

**Certified Public Accountants**